LOCAL BREVITIES.

Hurry up the new depot, please. Some glorious weather this week. School entertainment January 80th.

The snows that come this winter go Entertainment, Library Fund, Jan.

The trains are running nearly on time again.

Sunday services at St. Paul's as usual next Sunday.

Is the ice harvest over? U it is The continual freezing and thawing

has been disastrous to the wheat. Mr. Johnson got his house about

Buy your tickets for the public intertainment January 30th.

The Farmington asylum is ready for business and already has two patients. Do something for the boys and girls; do something for the world—Jan. 30,

Evening service at St. Paul's short and attractive. Address on "Destiny

The young people of the Valley will give a dance to morrow night. All

Friday night address at St. Paul's church: "Reward of sin, Past, Pres-

B. S. Gregory has secured a clerk-ship in the Senate at Jefferson City under Senator Farris. BORN-To Mr. and Mrs. Eli Depew,

near Ironton, Mo., on Wednesday, January 21, 1903, a girl. W. J. Tual is building a handsome residence in Arcadia, on the lot ad-joining that occupied by his brother.

A. Nemnich is in Sikeston to-day, on business connected with Southeast Missouri's finest steam bakery.—Poplar Bluff Republican.

G. A. Buckey last week purchased the Willowbrook Farm from Mrs. D. A. Pilley. He will put a fine residence thereon at an early day.

There are never any empty houses houses of the right kind for rent will find them paying investments.

The old furnace at Pilot Knob is being torn down and will be sold for old iron. One by one the glories of the old place have passed away. FOR RENT-February Ist, the brick

building south of Gay & Kindell's store now used as a pool room. Apply to Dr. C. L. Blanks, Pilot Knob. The people are demanding better

roads and they will have what they want. The road question is going to

brother, Zeno Horn, as the legislative clerk from this county during the present session of the legislature. There were sixteen applicants for the place.

The many friends of Wm. Stevenson at Des Arc will be sorrow to hear that he has not been in good health for report a early improvement in his con-dition.

Mr. Goddin of Boone county was here last week looking for a farm. Mr. Van Nort, of the firm of O'Brien & Van Nort, took him out to Belleview, and he expressed himself well pleased with "the lay of the land."

Some one entered a back window of W. P. McCarver's saddlery shop while the proprietor was at supper Tuesday evening. Mr. McCarver thinks that his early return frightened the wouldbe burglar away, and so far as he can ascertain nothing is missing.

That was a fine sermon delivered by Rev. Ritchie, Sunday evening. His text was from St. James, and the in-

cently and seven hundred dollars sub-scribed for improving the roads from Belleview to Ironton and from Belleview to Iron Mountain. They should receive every encouragement from the county court in such a laudable undertaking.

This is the day of low prices, bargains and hustling for trade. The recorder of Reynolds county advertises that he will record all deeds presented to him within the next fifteen days for the extremely low price of fifty cents each. This is certainly a new de-

The road question should receive most serious consideration from the county court. A plan should be inaugurated to sommence the construction of good roads-roads that will last. Let a little be built each year

The first rails laid on the electric rallway were put down on last Wednesday morning at the DeLassus terminus and by Saurday the steel crew had almost reached the gravel road, just west of the old toll-gate. The spikes used to fasten the rails to the ties gave out on Monday and during the lay-off out on Monday and during the lay-off the splite-drivers took occasion to strike for higher wages. However the matter was adjusted without trouble. Two wagon loads of spikes were secured from the Southern Mis-souri railway on Tuesday and work progressed as usual—Farmington

Irondale Gazette: "What the farmers of Southeast Missouri need more than oad freight rates than any other form

last Monday charging A. P. Vance with embezziement. Mr. V. has been acting as agent for said company for over a year, and the shortage is alleged to be about \$1000. He was in St. Louis when the warrant was issued, and it was forwarded to the sheriff there, who made the arrest Tuesday. Next day Sheriff Polk and Constable Marshall went up to the city, returning

J. H. Cline, the defaulting treasurer that a shortage did not exist and if it melt a heart of stone." ild, there was some mistake not his fault. He is now in jail and will be tried at the coming February term of circuit court. What the results of the trial will be no one can foretell. Before he was arrested no one stood higher in the community than J. H. Cline. - Wayne County Journal.

The older REGISTER readers will remember the famous Salsbery mule case tried and re-tried in the courts here, mate. The Arkansas Back-Log has a

hey are, are surely tired of 75-cent

The sad intelligence was received Fairchild. Mrs. Leslie had been in poor health for some time and for sev-REGISTER assures the bereaved husoand in Montana and the sorrowing relatives here of its profound sympathy in there sore affliction. Lula Fairchild is called thus early in life is one of the mysteries of the Infinite that the finite cannot comprehend.

. The Herald is in receipt of an interesting little volume entitled, "Legend of Sunset Mountain," containing a prettily portrayed legend of the Indian ribes of the mountains of North Carolina. "Ouaneetee," an Indian maiden of the Ocogee tribe, is the Representative Horn has named his deadly enemies. "Iwishyo" fell captive to the Ocogees and was to be put o death, but without which no story is a complete success, all ended well and the Indian lovers were happily married and the two tribes were at peace. The author is Uncle Eli D.
Ake, editor of the IRON COUNTY REGISTER, and one of the ablest newspaper
men and most forcible writers in Missouri. Mr. Ake has our thanks for the copy of his interesting publi-cation. - Houston Herald.

A surprise was tendered Dr. A. S. Prince last Friday evening, Jan. 16th, t being the anniversary of his birthday. About fifty officers and older members of the Baptist Sunday School marched in a procession to his home, parrying with them hot coffee, refreshments and a lovely Morris chair. The surprise was a complete success After the excitement was over and quiet prevailed, the chair was presented in a most pleasing and gratifying manner by Rev. Geo. Steel. His well chosen remarks voiced the sentiments of all present, and the Dr. was sistence was that faith and works should go haud-in-hand. A very fair congregation was present, comprising more than the usual percentage of men.

A meeting was held in Belieview recently and seven hundred dollars subchatting, the party wended their way home, wishing him long life and many happy returns of the day,
ONE OF THE PARTY.

Another chapter in the Crawley-Jennings trouble developed Saturday when William Jones, who married Mrs. Samuel Crawley on last Wednes-day evening, and his brother, Joe Jones, were arrested on the charge of killing Charles Jennings on the night of Dec. 21st. The charge was based on the statements of two Crump boys, and Mrs. Ellis Coffman, who were at Mrs. Crawley's bome on that night. These three stated that the two Jones brothers were present at Mrs. Craw-ley's that night and, hearing a noise in the yard they went out and shot four times the first time, and then went out again and fired seven shots, and it will not be a great while until and at the last shot someone grounds we will have good roads all over the county.

The first rails laid on the electric Jones were arrested and held in jall until Monday when they were released on bonds of \$3,000. The sheriff searched for the body on Monday but found no traces. The preliminary hearing, which was set for Wednesday

> culaneum and has been there since Dec. 24th.—Farmington Times. issue of the Elvins Argus; recalls the will be offered for the repose of her experience (somewhat different) of an officer of the Orphan's Home at this

was not held and the Jones brothers were discharged. Mr. B. H. Marbury received information Wednesday after-noon that Jennings is working at Her-

I cordially indorse this from the place about a year ago: "A most piteous scene saddened the hearts of all who saw the departure of the north anything else is good roads and the bound train on Saturday morning.
man in the State Legislature that will The three children of Mrs. Amanda get a bill through that will give them Brown, a widow living in Elvins, of Miss Ida Belcher, one of Granite-these good roads will win everlasting were taken from the home of their ville's most popular and well respected were taken from the home of their wille's most popular and well respected mother by Sheriff Murphy and Marshall McCabe and put on board the north bound train to be sent to the Children's Home, an institution in St. visiting her uncle in this city since Louis. Rev. W. H. Fiedler, an agent of the society, was here a few days small lassie with deep blue are the first of of the society, was here a few days small lassie with deep blue are the first have been so many sudden changes in the weather since the first of November last, it is somewhat which occurred in St. Louis in December last of health is so very remarkably good.

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Rev. J. H. Calvert filled his regular the Second Baptist of the society, was here a few days. nore toward securing reasonable rail- shall McCabe and put on board the Prosecuting Attorney Van Nort, at Louis. Rev. W. H. Fiedler, an agent the urst of October last. the instance of the New York Life Inthe instance of the New York Life Insurance Company, issued a warrant ago and learning of the destitute condark brown hair. Mr. McDonald spent girl of fourteen, succeeded in eluding evening, as business would not perthe officers twice before her floal capture, and showed a marked disposition with the prisoner the same evening, ture, and showed a marked disposition. The day for preliminary hearing has to stay at home, but the others, a boy of ten and a wee tot of two, seemed content with the situation and chuckled merrily at the thought of a ride. But of Wayne County, was turned over to the woe of the mother when the train the authorities lastweek by his bonds- pulled out was a most repressing our best wishes for a long life of hapmen and in default of renewing his spectacle. The cries of mental pain bond, was committed to jall, where he and shricks of angulah that came from s now waiting for the February term the poor woman when she saw her of the circuit court when he will be darlings hurled onward out of her tried. Mr. Cline has claimed all along sight and life forever were enough to sight and life forever were enough to

until the costs were piled up to the Livins Argus for the past two months, a host of friends go with these estimtune of about \$800. The mule colt at has gone hence. He struck for greener able young people. Missguri Valley issue was worth \$40 at a liberal ceti- pastures Saturday night. There are numerous people in Elvins who regret companion-piece for it: "The third his departure and will remember him trial over the six-bit turkey was held for a long time. Saturday afternoon at Albertha Saturday with the same Kimberlin executed one of the boldest result as the two former-a hung jury. swindling schemes that could be cont will be tried again in Circuit Court. | ceived. Just before the Elvins Bank The cost now totals up \$78.50 and by closed for the day he deposited to his the time it goes through Circuit Court oredit a sight draft on the Jefferson it will be twice that amount. The Bank of St. Louis for \$50, which parties most concerned, whoseever proved to be bogus. He then wrote a lozen or more checks for amounts of \$5 and \$10, payable to himself, and proceeded to get them cashed at the stores and business places about town. here last Thursday evening of the Nearly every merchant and business death that morning in Great Falls, man in Elvins was made a victim. He man in Elvins was made a victim. He Montana, of Mrs. Lula Leslie, nee would enter a place and ask if the proprietor could accommodate him by cashing a small check. Every man eral weeks had been in a hospital. A approached was unsuspecting enough few days before her death it was to get caught save J. P. Butts, the hought she was getting along very druggist. Mr. Butts was asked to nicely and hopes were entertained for cash a \$25 draft, also on the Jefferson early recovery. But there came a sudden change and then the end. The better not give up the money and he accordingly refused. Kimberlin also borrowed the watch of Joseph Bolin before leaving. He parted on the late south-bound train Saturday night, and was one of the sweetest, lovellest girls is supposed to have also taken an unever reared in the Valley and that she paid-for typewriter or two with him. The departed editor was a married man. His wife drove to Bismarck Saturday afternoon and departed for Louisville, Ky., or at least, had her trunk checked for that point. She was driven to Bismarck by Scott Ritter, who has an unpaid livery bill against her husband who was to have paid it the following Monday. Inquiry by long distance 'phone to the Jefferson Bank at St. Louis brought the rechief of the Tuskees, is her favored that institution. The following is a deadly available avail ist of Kimberlin's victims: J. T. Evans, \$10; Frank Bylogton, \$5; W. H. Miller, \$10; Dr. Reece, \$10; Abe Klein, \$5; J. C. Westover, \$10; F. J. Heaton, \$10; Mart Williams, \$5. There may be 'others,' The publishers of the Argus have been left in the lurch because of this unexpected

caper, and this week's issue is thereore gotton out under difficulties." PERSONAL.

Hayes Malugen was in Piedmont last E. W. Graves of Des Arc was in Iron-

ton Monday.

E. H. Fairchild was home a few days the past week. John Stevenson and wife of Des Arc

ere in town Monday. Will Effinger, of East St. Louis, is risiting home folk at Pilot Knob.

James Cuthbert of Topeka, Kansas, was a visitor to Ironton this week. Ferd. Immer of St. Louis is spending few days with relatives at Pilot Knob. Miss Mary Myers has gone to Farm-ington where she has a position in the

Miss Butte of Milwaukee, Wis., is in the Valley on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Mrs. W. T. Gay returned last Saturday from a visit to Mrs. Dr. Meredith

in St. Louis. E. M. Logan and daughter of Belle riew went to St. Louis last week. Miss Jennie will remain in St. Louis the remainder of the winter studying

Prices on Dry Salt and Smoked Meats greatly reduced at H. Barnhouse's.

Aunt Abby's Notes.

Mrs. Elliott is very sick and we hope her early recovery.

Miss Leatrice Reeves has returned fter a ten weeks' visit with relatives and friends at Poplar Bluff.

Thos. Mulien, of Belleview, was town one day last week.

Miss Mary Huff and Miss Leatrice
Reeves visited friends at Pilot Knob

There was no skating going on John Fahland, of Pilot Knob, had

ousiness at Crain Pond Saturday. The young folks were all out buggy riding Sunday. AUNT ABBY.

In Memoriam.

It is with sorrow and regret that the Parish of St. Paul's has to record the passing away of the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fairchild. A faithful member she always was previous to her leaving fronton, and the work done for the church will always reflect to

Sr. Louis, Mo , Jan. 15, 1903. will be quite a surprise to her many friends to learn of the marriage monia reported on East Fork. Though of Miss Ida Belcher, one of Granite- there have been so many sudden dition of the mother and her alleged last summer in Graniteville, where he incapacity and moral unfitness to take met Miss Belcher. On his way to care of the children, called on her with Denver, Colo., a month ago he stopped a view of obtaining the little ones over to see his intended bride and J. T. Patterson closed six months of they then decided to get married at his school at Sawyer's Mill Friday last, ployed legal process to wrench them once. Of course, within two hours rom the mother as desired. The eld- they were man and wife, Mr. McDon- pupils are interested and are doing est of the children, a womanish little aid leaving for the west that same mit him to stay any longer. Mr. Mc- Sunday last, where she will spend the Donald's parents live in Vermont, but winter and spring with her brother, past six years. Mrs. Jack McDonald will follow her husband to Denver Jan. our best wishes piness and prosperity. A SUBSORIBER.

The finest Wool Shirts, Bonanza. Hinks-Seeley.

A strange tale comes from over the At the residence of G. M. Hinks on borders of St. Francois county, involv- North Third street at 1:30 Thursday ing, marvelous as it may seem, an afternoon the words of the marriage editor in a crooked scheme. The ceremony were said by Rev. Barber of REGISTER can scarcely credit it, but the Baptist church by which Herbert prints the astounding story as told by F. Seeley of Milwaukee, Wis., and our brethren of the Lead Belt News, so Miss Gertrude F. Hinks of the same that our readers may see what might city became husband and wife. The happen if editors were not of the truly wedding was a quiet home affair, after good: "J. F. Kimberlin, the windy individual who has been managing the on their wedding trip. Best wishes of

Fresh oysters by the plate or quart t the Blue Store.

Died. near Irondale, Mo., Jan. 14. 903, Daisy Lashly, of consumption. Dalsy was born March 5, 1889, in Iron county, Mo., and was aged 13 years, 10 months and 9 days. These were the dates connected with a short, bright life. Her illness extended through a period of six or seven months, but calmness and patience marked each day of suffering. Very often she spoke of certain things she intended doing when well again, and always expressed in every word and action such resignation and willingpess to wait patiently for that time to come, that an older Christian than herself has sometimes left her bedside ashamed of her own weakness. In Daisy the prophecy that a little child

should be a leader was fulfilled again. God gave her not the rosy years of again, but an abundant entrance into His Kingdom Celestial She was a Christian, and to the Christian death has no terror. While our hearts are filled with grief over the separation, we know God hath done all things well. It is sweet consolation when we stand by loved ones passing away, to know that ere death comes to them, their head is already pillowed on the breast of Christ. Then how it softens our bitter pain to be able to say "Father, Thy will be

A few years ago Daisy joined the church at Hazel Glen, and it was here that her funeral was preached by Rev. mains were taken to the Methodist cemetery at Caledonia and laid by her father to await the resurrection.

Ladies' new Tailor Made Suits, Bo-

Resolutions of Sympathy.

WHEREAS, The Supreme Ruler of the universe has taken from the earth the beloved father of our esteemed Neighbor Arthur Huff, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the members of Ironton Camp, No. 3755, Modern Woodmen of America, that we extend to Neighbor Huff and the other members of the family our heartfelt sympathy in their hour of bereavement; Be it further

Resolved, That a copy bereof be furnished Neighbor Huff; also that a copy be furnished the Iron County Register for publication, and that a copy be spread upon the minutes of the Order.

JOHN W. POLK,
G. D. MARKS,
S. A. BRADLEY

S. A. BRADLEY. Reduction sale, Bonanza.

Des Are Items. The roads have been frozen for the

last week, and lumber, hubs and hooppoles have been moving lively. No one in this section has gotten ice

yet, and it looks like we will not get Wm. Stevenson, of the firm

Stevenson Bros., has been quite sick for three weeks, but is better at this writing. He is still confined to his

Henry Sutton is also quite sick with Stevenson Bros. have employed Frank Wray as salesman.

There is quite a demand here for goods. Remem wood to be shipped to De Soto. E. W. Graves has sold all he had on hand -over 100 cords. Wallis & Lovelace are shipping four cords a week to the railroad company. They have 448 cords on hand, already received by

the railroad company.

Shears has put a mill over on Camp Creek, below Harve Wilson's. Ed. Johnson, while digging on the 20, 1903: railroad where there was a wreck over a year ago, found \$2.35 in silver; one of the dollars was nearly all melted, but the other you could see what it was very well. It is supposed to have been in poor Bradley's pocket, who was killed and burned in the wreck, only one piece of his back bone being all that was found of him, which wa put in a cigar box and sent to th

widow. T. McAlister's child was buried her Saturday. They were living in St Louis. They formerly lived on Peacl Tree Fork, Wayne county. ISAAC.

Belleview Items.

Since my last letter to the REGISTER corded in inches and hundredths. Ten nothing of particular interest has transpired in this locality. ranspired in this locality. Health in this valley is unusually

locality for two or three months, though there are a few cases of pneu-

hurch on the first Sunday.

Graniteville Friday. John Edmonds closed his school near Hogan Friday last.

leaving two months yet to teach. The good work.

Leota Hawkins went to Pilot Knob

he has been living in the west for the Prof. Jesse Hawkins, who will give her instruction in a few of the higher branches of study. Leota is a bright 17th, where they will make their young lady, and we wish her success. future home. The young couple have Now that the Legislature has convened, it is time for the representatives of the so-called normal schools to get in their lobbying for the usual appropriations. Then comes that august farmington asylum for another large appropriation. Two living examples

> Mrs. Hawkins visited us last week. The Second Baptists gave a box sup-per Saturday night. I did not attend, but reports say that it was a grand

Trade with most merchants appear o be very poor, though the hub business gives employment to a number of people in this locality. But people do not spend their earnings so freely as they did a year ago. The effect of the drouth of a year ago will be apparent on business for several years to come In 1901 most of the farmers sold, at a sacrifice, nearly all the live stock that they possibly could do without, and, of course, had some money to spend, which they were almost compelled to spend for feed and provisions. This ear, while most farmers have plenty of feed and provisions, not many of them have any surplus live stock to sell to bring the necessary amount of "spending money." Hence trade is not nearly so good as it was a year

Hartman & Read pay out from \$75 \$80 a day for hubs received on their aub yard, near E. M. Logan's mill, and I am informed that nearly every dollar is paid in cash, if desired Fifteen teams were used daily last week delivering hub logs from the yard here to Iron Mountain Dr. Farrar made a professional call on East Fork Wednesday last. P.

Fine Apron Gingham 5c, Bonanza. Resolutions of Respect.

WHEREAS, Death has again invaded ou anks and has removed from our midst our eloved Brother John Sylinger, therefore as an expression of sympathy and respect of Iron Lodge No. 107, I. O. O. F., be it Resolved. That by reason of the death Bro. Sylinger this Lodge has lost an earnest faithful member, the community an honest, upright citizen and his family a wise coun-Resolved, That the heartfelt sympathy and

to the family and friends of our deceased orother.

Resolved, That as a further mark of our n mourning for thirty days; that these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this Lodge, and copies thereof be furnished the

indolence of this Lodge is hereby tendered

WILL CURTIS. G. W. MARSHALL

The past week was a beautiful one or mid-winter. The roads are much

Rev. White, of Caledonia, preached at Cedar Grove Sunday at 11 A. M. The revival continues and much good has been accomplished. Over a score have professed a hope in Christ, and twelve united with the church. May the good work continue.

Mrs. L Simms, who has had an at ack of pneumonia, is much improved Dr. J. Q. Adams and family, of Belleview, attended church here Sur

Messrs. Logan and Anderson ar saling hay on the Russell farm at Cedar Grove. They have enough work to keep them busy until spring Mr. Sol Nelson and son, of Goodland, vere here Friday.

Prof. Burnham, of Belleview, a ended church here Sunday. W. S. Wiatt is improving slowly. Wm. Anderson had business at Iron Mountain Saturday.

Highest price paid for Butter, Eggs and Poultry at Barnhouse's.

Extra Announcement.

Commencing with this issue of the REGISTER, we will give all persons buying \$1.00 worth of goods at the Greater Bonanza a ticket for a Ladies' or Gentlemen's 20-year Solid Gold Filled Watch, although we have made the greatest reductions on all our goods. Remember, for every \$1.00 Yours, Truly,

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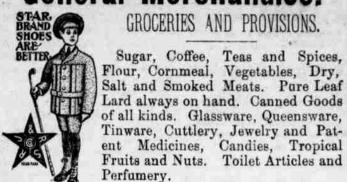
Weather Report.

Meteorological report of Voluntary Observer at Ironton, Iron county, Mo. for the week ending Tuesday, Jan

Days of Week.	Temp		Ature.	
	lays of Month	Highest	Lowest	recipitation.
Wednesday	14	45	20	100
Thursday	15	56.	20	# M
Friday	16	55	24	100
Saturday	17	45	35	951
Sunday	18	38	20	200
Monday	19	46	14	453
fuesday	20	46	17	.12

hall, sleet and melted snow and is reinches of snow equal one inch of rain,
"I" indicates trace of precipitation.
W. H. DELANO, Observer.

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